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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 25, 2009, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 17 of this paper.